24673. Rice and unshelled walnuts. (F.D.C. No. 40698. S. Nos. 67-793/5 M.)

QUANTITY: 22 100-lb. bags of rice and 62 100-lb. bags of unshelled walnuts at Kansas City, Kans., in possession of Federal Cold Storage.

SHIPPED: Between 2-23-56 and 11-21-56, from South Dos Palos, Stockton, and Chico, Calif.

Libeled: 10-21-57, Dist. Kans.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained rodent urine; and 402(a)(4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 1-16-58. Default—consumption by animals.

24674. Rice and flour. (F.D.C. No. 41277. S. Nos. 66-761/6 M.)

QUANTITY: 13 100-lb. bags, and 23 25-lb. bags of rice and 101 100-lb. bags, and 77 50-lb. bags of flour at Reno, Nev., in possession of Sun Blest Foods of Nevada.

SHIPPED: Between 5-9-57 and 10-1-57, from Ogden, Utah, and San Francisco, Calif.

LIBELED: 12-13-57, Dist. Nev,

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained insects, insect excreta pellets, bird excreta, and rodent urine; and 402(a)(4)—held under insanitary conditions.

Disposition: 1-17-58. Consent—claimed by Sun Blest Foods of Nevada. Segregated; 35 bags of rice and 120 bags of flour were denatured.

24675. Rye. (F.D.C. No. 41260. S. No. 78-042 M.)

QUANTITY: 76,170 lbs. at Omaha, Nebr.

SHIPPED: 12-4-57, from Havre, Mont., by Centennial Mills, Inc.

Libeled: 12-30-57, Dist. Nebr.

Charge: 402(a)(3)—contained decomposed rye when shipped.

Disposition: 1-17-58. Consent—destruction.

24676. Shelled corn. (F.D.C. No. 41296. S. No. 55-066 M.)

QUANTITY: 250 bushels at Harrodsburg, Ky.

SHIPPED: 6-1-57, from New Albany, Ind., by Garrison Elevator Co., Inc.

Libeled: 12-18-57, E. Dist. Ky.

CHARGE: 402(a)(2)—the article was a raw agricultural commodity and contained, when shipped, a pesticide chemical, namely, thiram, which was unsafe within the meaning of the law since no tolerance or exemption from the requirement of a tolerance for such pesticide chemical on shelled yellow corn has been prescribed by regulations.

DISPOSITION: 1-29-58. Default—destruction.

24677. Oats. (F.D.C. No. 41390. S. No. 25-714 P.)

QUANTITY: 75,000 lbs. at Minneapolis, Minn.

SHIPPED: 1-21-58, from Marcus, Iowa, by Sands Seed Service.

LIBELED: 2-5-58, Dist. Minn.

CHARGE: 402(a) (2)—the article was a raw agricultural commodity and contained, when shipped, a pesticide chemical, namely, a mercurial compound, which is unsafe within the meaning of 408(a) since no tolerance or exemption from the requirement of a tolerance for such pesticide chemical on oats has been prescribed by regulations.

DISPOSITION: 2-7-58. Consent—claimed by Sands Seed Service and destroyed.